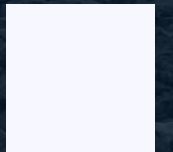


ROLLING STOCK – CYBERSECURITY

Cyber Onions



Company Overview



“We excel in transforming the cybersecurity landscape for businesses. Our expertise lies in addressing the most complex cybersecurity challenges that organisations face in today's rapidly evolving digital world”

- Security Architecture Services
- Security Testing (Vulnerability & Penetration Testing)
- Audit & Risk Assessments (Cybersecurity assurance)
- Security Monitoring
- Asset Monitoring & Management

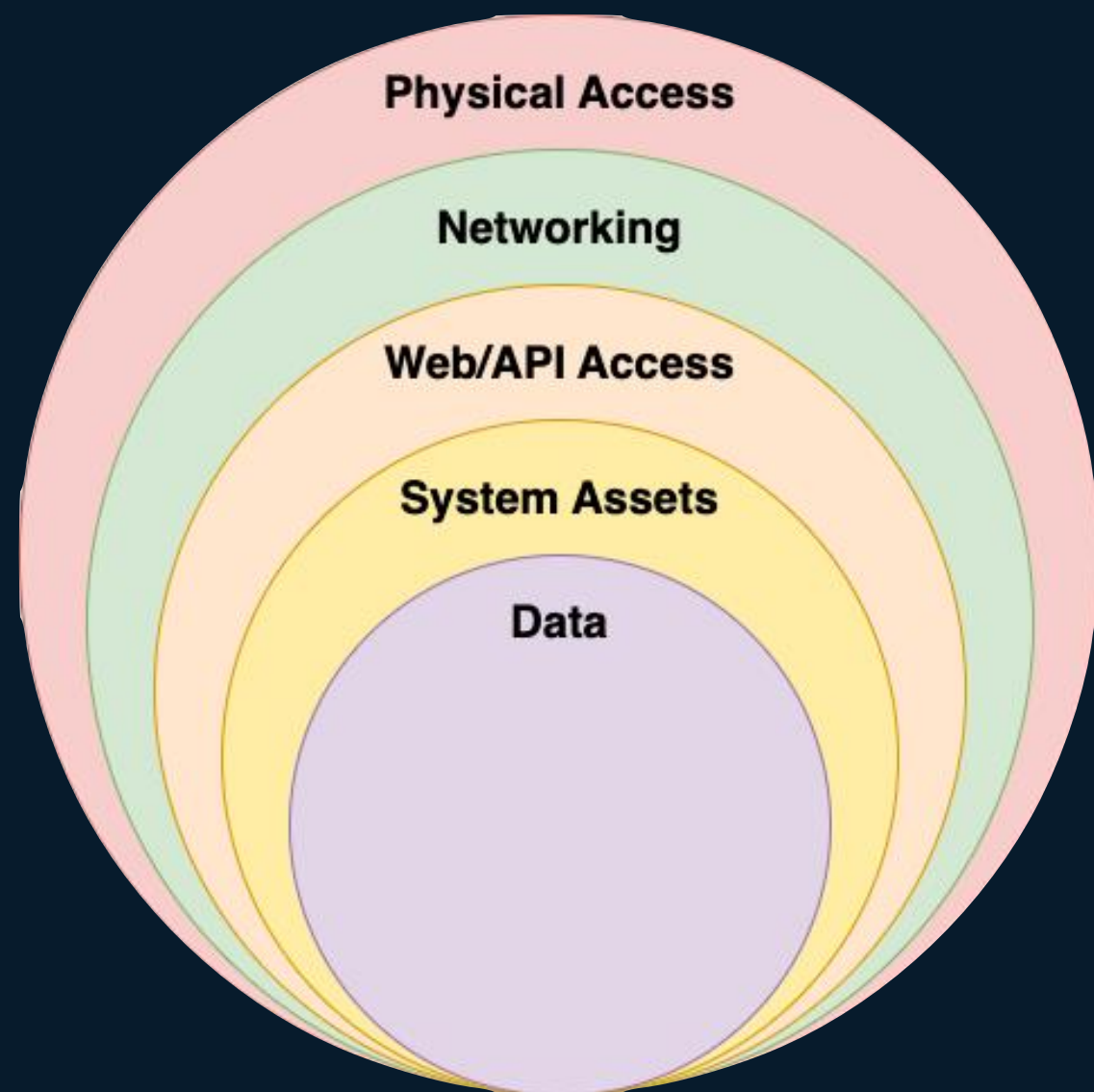
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- Security Lead Architect / Business Developer
- Started as a Graduate in Transport for London - London Underground Ltd (LUL)
- Systems Engineer with Software/Electronic/Integration Experience
- Progressed into Cybersecurity during LUL
- Setup and manages Complete Cyber +10 Years

Rolling Stock Overview & Onions

- Modern Rolling Stock is generally built with fault-tolerant ethernet networks (Ring)
- Supported by Serial Communications (RS422/485, CAN Bus, MVP etc.) for Safety Critical Systems
- Wireless Communication Methods (Passenger/Staff WiFi & 4/5G Remote Connectivity)



- Most Digital Systems (IT, IOT & OT) can be contextualised into an Onion
- A review into this approach to understand the breakdown of forms of security threats and risks for Rolling Stock systems
- MITRE ATT&CK CNI Matrix used for contextual threat-to-risk analysis

Physical Security

Threats

- Public User uses generic key-shape for panel access and removes cable
- Public or informed User accesses panel removal in discretion (Toilet example)
- Lack of physical inspection methods (Manual & Automated)

Physical Security Cont.

Risks

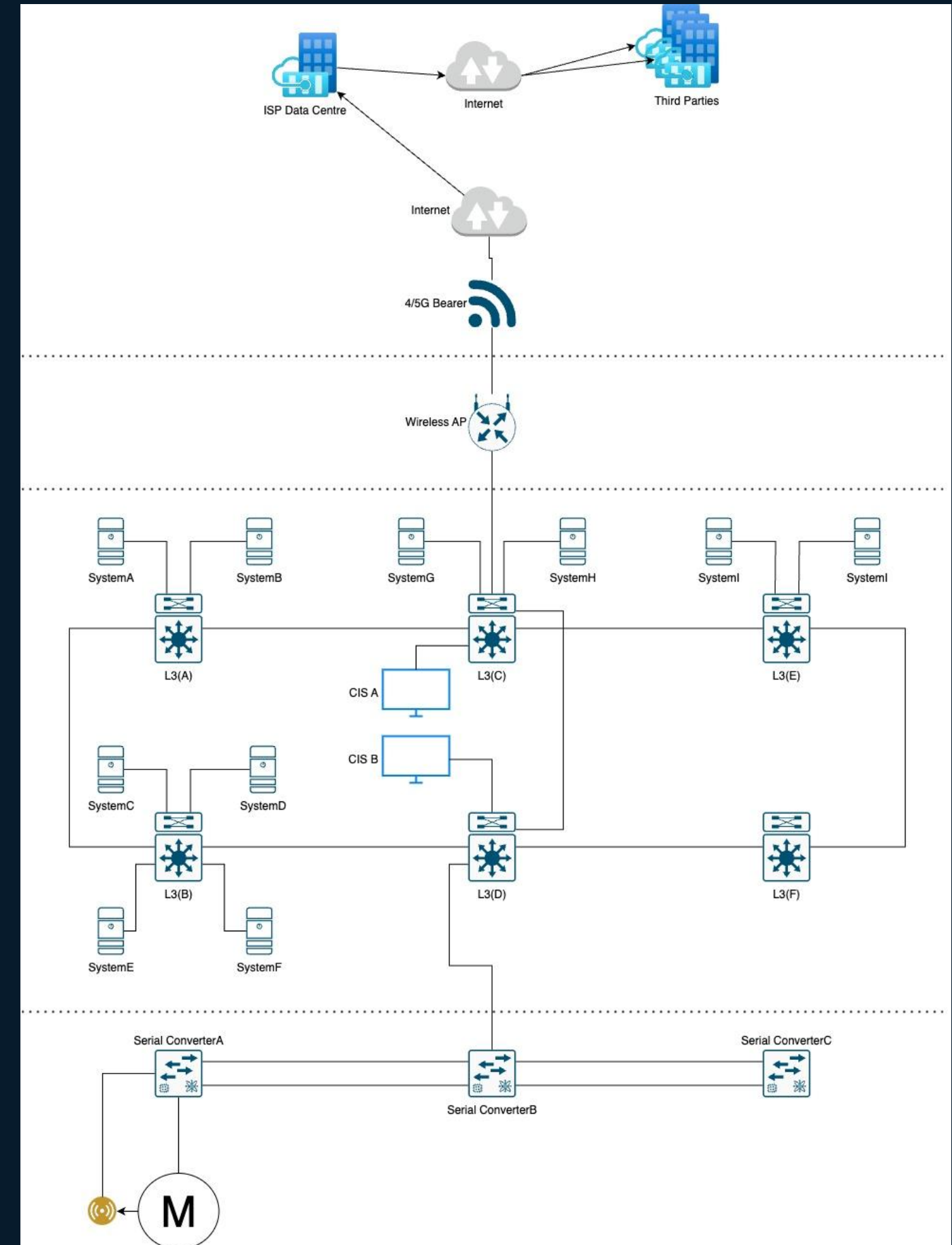
- Detriment Network performance (Availability) and Functional Performance
- Force Emergency Breaks On (when travelling at speeds of excess 125 kph)
- Obtain initial persistence for reconnaissance

Initial Access	Execution	Persistence	Privilege Escalation	Evasion	Discovery	Lateral Movement	Collection
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<u>Spearphishing Attachment</u>	<u>Scripting</u>						<u>Program Upload</u>
<u>Supply Chain Compromise</u>	<u>User Execution</u>					<u>Screen Capture</u>	
<u>Transient Cyber Asset</u>						<u>Wireless Sniffing</u>	
<u>Wireless Compromise</u>							

Network Systems

Threats

- Flat network for lateral access movements
- Default or weak credentials on network devices (switches)
- Lack of network ACLs for support in segregation
- Poor network management



Network Systems Cont.

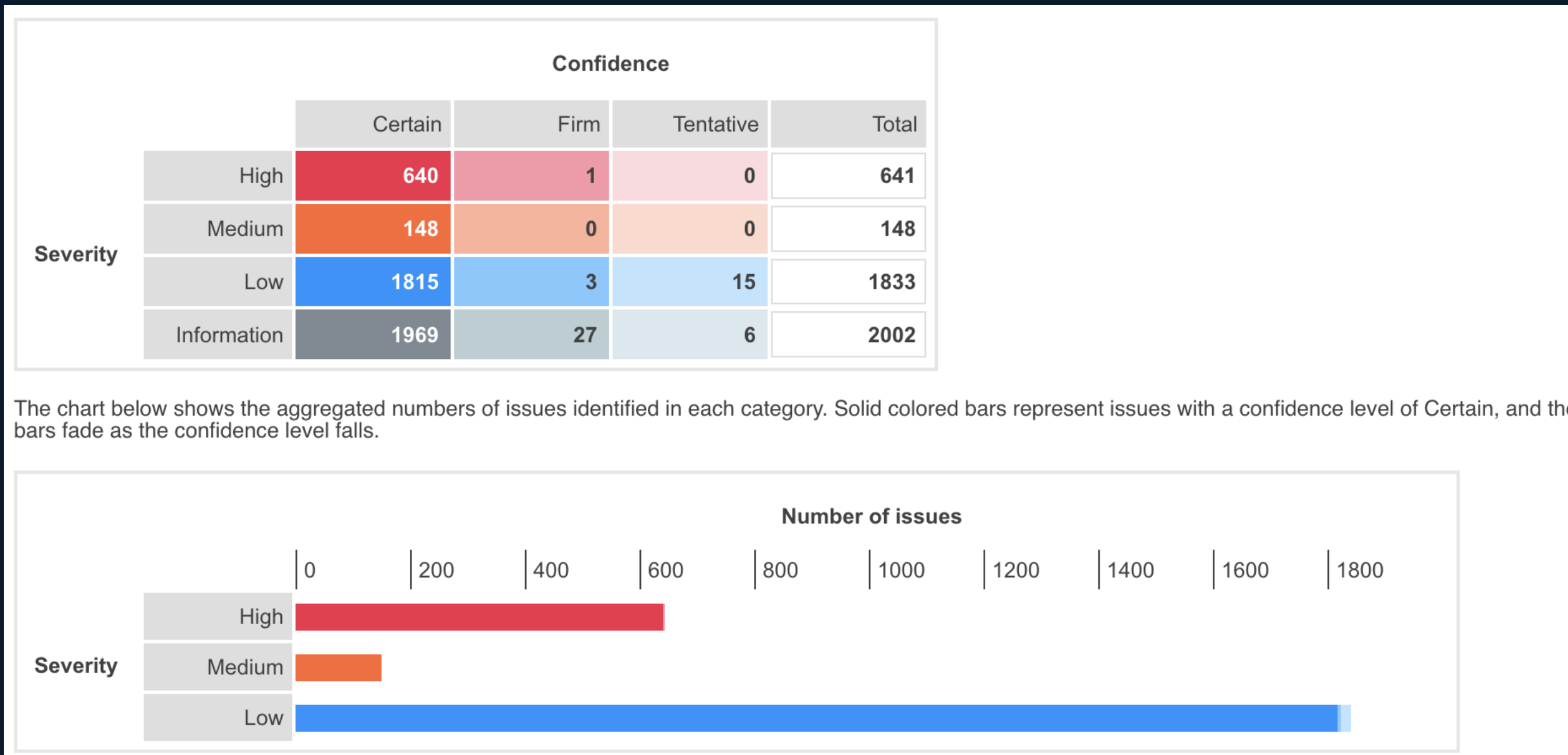
Risks

- Lateral movement within network with no-detection in place
- Network system compromised due to weak or limited authentication methods
- Change in network control routing attacks

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Threats

- Exposed Services with lack of Authentication and Authorisation in place
- Enumeration of Services
- Lack of Integrity and Confidentiality in Software Development for Web & API systems



Web & API Access



Risks

- Easy Authentication and enumeration of Web services and API
- Privilege abuse through weak authentication and authorisation methods
- Web shell (server-side) execution attacks for downloading or establishing backdoors

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System Asset Compromise



Threats

- Limited system hardening in place making initial attack and escalation easy
- Lack of system monitoring and detection makes System modifications possible
- Interception of Services and Data become accessible

Initial Access	Execution	Persistence	Privilege Escalation	Evasion	Discovery	Lateral Movement	Collection	Command and Control	Inhibit Response Function	Impair Process Control
<u>Drive-by Compromise</u>	<u>Autorun Image</u>	<u>Hardcoded Credentials</u>	<u>Exploitation for Privilege Escalation</u>	<u>Change Operating Mode</u>	<u>Network Connection Enumeration</u>	<u>Default Credentials</u>	<u>Adversary-in-the-Middle</u>	<u>Commonly Used Port</u>	<u>Activate Firmware Update Mode</u>	<u>Brute Force I/O</u>
<u>Exploit Public-Facing Application</u>	<u>Change Operating Mode</u>	<u>Modify Program</u>	<u>Hooking</u>	<u>Exploitation for Evasion</u>	<u>Network Sniffing</u>	<u>Exploitation of Remote Services</u>	<u>Automated Collection</u>	<u>Connection Proxy</u>	<u>Alarm Suppression</u>	<u>Modify Parameter</u>
<u>Exploitation of Remote Services</u>	<u>Command-Line Interface</u>	<u>Module Firmware</u>		<u>Indicator Removal on Host</u>	<u>Remote System Discovery</u>	<u>Hardcoded Credentials</u>	<u>Data from Information Repositories</u>	<u>Standard Application Layer Protocol</u>	<u>Block Command Message</u>	<u>Module Firmware</u>
<u>External Remote Services</u>	<u>Execution through API</u>	<u>Project File Infection</u>		<u>Masquerading</u>	<u>Remote System Information Discovery</u>	<u>Lateral Tool Transfer</u>	<u>Data from Local System</u>		<u>Block Reporting Message</u>	<u>Spoof Reporting Message</u>
<u>Internet Accessible Device</u>	<u>Graphical User Interface</u>	<u>System Firmware</u>		<u>Rootkit</u>	<u>Wireless Sniffing</u>	<u>Program Download</u>	<u>Detect Operating Mode</u>		<u>Block Serial COM</u>	<u>Unauthorized Command Message</u>
<u>Remote Services</u>	<u>Hooking</u>	<u>Valid Accounts</u>		<u>Spoof Reporting Message</u>		<u>Remote Services</u>	<u>I/O Image</u>		<u>Change Credential</u>	
<u>Replication Through Removable Media</u>	<u>Modify Controller Tasking</u>			<u>System Binary Proxy Execution</u>		<u>Valid Accounts</u>	<u>Monitor Process State</u>		<u>Data Destruction</u>	
<u>Rogue Master</u>	<u>Native API</u>						<u>Point & Tag Identification</u>		<u>Denial of Service</u>	
<u>Spearphishing Attachment</u>	<u>Scripting</u>						<u>Program Upload</u>		<u>Device Restart/Shutdown</u>	
<u>Supply Chain Compromise</u>	<u>User Execution</u>					<u>Screen Capture</u>		<u>Manipulate I/O Image</u>		
<u>Transient Cyber Asset</u>						<u>Wireless Sniffing</u>		<u>Modify Alarm Settings</u>		
<u>Wireless Compromise</u>								<u>Rootkit</u>		
								<u>Service Stop</u>		
								<u>System Firmware</u>		

Data Access & Manipulation

Threats

- Core data integrity and confidentiality is accessible and unprotected
- Implementation of a 'Trust-All' approach can allow for sniffing and data extraction
- Data parameter modification and manipulation

Evasion	Discovery	Lateral Movement	Collection	Command and Control	Inhibit Response Function	Impair Process Control	Impact
<u>Change Operating Mode</u>	<u>Network Connection Enumeration</u>	<u>Default Credentials</u>	<u>Adversary-in-the-Middle</u>	<u>Commonly Used Port</u>	<u>Activate Firmware Update Mode</u>	<u>Brute Force I/O</u>	<u>Damage to Property</u>
<u>Exploitation for Evasion</u>	<u>Network Sniffing</u>	<u>Exploitation of Remote Services</u>	<u>Automated Collection</u>	<u>Connection Proxy</u>	<u>Alarm Suppression</u>	<u>Modify Parameter</u>	<u>Denial of Control</u>
<u>Indicator Removal on Host</u>	<u>Remote System Discovery</u>	<u>Hardcoded Credentials</u>	<u>Data from Information Repositories</u>	<u>Standard Application Layer Protocol</u>	<u>Block Command Message</u>	<u>Module Firmware</u>	<u>Denial of View</u>
<u>Masquerading</u>	<u>Remote System Information Discovery</u>	<u>Lateral Tool Transfer</u>	<u>Data from Local System</u>		<u>Block Reporting Message</u>	<u>Spoof Reporting Message</u>	<u>Loss of Availability</u>
<u>Rootkit</u>	<u>Wireless Sniffing</u>	<u>Program Download</u>	<u>Detect Operating Mode</u>		<u>Block Serial COM</u>	<u>Unauthorized Command Message</u>	<u>Loss of Control</u>
<u>Spoof Reporting Message</u>		<u>Remote Services</u>	<u>I/O Image</u>		<u>Change Credential</u>		<u>Loss of Productivity and Revenue</u>
<u>System Binary Proxy Execution</u>		<u>Valid Accounts</u>	<u>Monitor Process State</u>		<u>Data Destruction</u>		<u>Loss of Protection</u>
			<u>Point & Tag Identification</u>		<u>Denial of Service</u>		<u>Loss of Safety</u>
			<u>Program Upload</u>		<u>Device Restart/Shutdown</u>		<u>Loss of View</u>
			<u>Screen Capture</u>		<u>Manipulate I/O Image</u>		<u>Manipulation of Control</u>
			<u>Wireless Sniffing</u>		<u>Modify Alarm Settings</u>		<u>Manipulation of View</u>
					<u>Rootkit</u>		<u>Theft of Operational Information</u>
					<u>Service Stop</u>		
					<u>System Firmware</u>		

Key Take Aways



1. Implement Security Architecture for 'Secure-by-Design' through OEMs (EU Cyber Requirement)
 - I. Assign Product/Project Manager with Cybersecurity responsibilities
 - II. Adopt 62243-3-3 for System and 62443-4-1/2 for Product Security (Supply-Chain)

2. Ensure continuous testing during the Design & Build of Rolling Stock (EU Cyber Requirement)
 - I. Consider better or improved security within the Software Development Process
 - II. Enforce ad-hoc testing during the design process (Digital Twin testing)

3. Ensure relevant controls (Technology, Process & People) are built into the programme of a new Design & Build (NISD/2 Requirement & EU Cybersecurity Act)
 - I. Factor budgets for security tooling and documentation processes for people including training
 - II. Speak with the Cybersecurity OT Supply-Chain on support for addressing controls

4. Undertake continuous testing and monitoring of your Rolling Stock (NISD/2 Requirement)
 - I. Ensure services offering monitoring and response are added into bids and offered to Clients
 - II. Tooling to undertake continuous monitoring and discovery
 - III. Assignment of external party for continuous testing & internal



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